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WHEAT FIELD TO MARK SCENE OF OUTLAWRY

Square Covered By Burned Warehouse to Be Cultivated.

NOW REMOVING DEBRIS.

Mr. Latham Buys the Cooper Lot and Now Owns Whole Square.

Mr. John C. Latham, the New York capitalist, whose warehouse was burned by outlaws on the morning of December 7th, has purchased the warehouse lot of W. T. Cooper west of his own lot, upon which the storage house of Wooldridge & Co. stood and was also burned by the spreading of the flames. This lot was between the Latham lot and the Louisville & Nashville R. R. and the two made a full block. Mr. Latham now owns the entire square, containing a little more than one acre.

His orders are to clean off the lot, dig up the foundations of the burned buildings and as a preliminary step to turning it into a permanent grass plat will have it sowed in wheat, to make it green during the winter. His further plan is understood to be to convert the vacant lot into a little park fronting the depot of the Louisville & Nashville Railroad, similar to the one east of Hotel Latham.

Thus it will stand as an enduring monument to the fanatical warfare made upon this great benefactor of Hopkinsville by the masked marauders who engaged in a devil's dance around his burning property while he was a thousand miles away.

The destruction of Mr. Latham's property, a man absolutely unconnected in any way with the tobacco troubles, except that once a week a sale of loose tobacco was made in a part of the big warehouse, rented to a local firm, was the most fiendish of all the crimes committed by the rioters who now want to "compromise" their deeds of infamy to escape prosecution.

The work of tearing down the walls of the Cooper building and removing the vast amount of wreckage will take several weeks. Seven wagons were put to work this week hauling off the debris left by the fire and dynamite of the invaders.

SUNDAY BALL

Will be Played Outside the City Limits.

Manager Frank Bassett has rented the Faulkner lot on South Main street, between the T. C. railroad and the city limits and will have a ball game to-morrow, outside the city, between the Hopkinsville team and the Cheek-Neals of Nashville.

Mr. Bassett says his attorneys advise him that there is no state law against Sunday ball playing for amusement. A bill introduced in the last legislature making it unlawful was never reported from the committee on Public Morals.

The city council recently passed on ordinance prohibiting Sunday ball inside the city limits.

Runaway Scrape.

A horse driven by Cap Schmidt, a salesman for the Planters Hardware Co., ran away Thursday and Schmidt was thrown out near the I. C. depot, but was not hurt much. He held on to the lines and the horse was finally stopped. The buggy was considerably broken up.

Announcement.

Miss Emma Noe announces to her friends that she will open a class in voice culture. For particulars call

MILLION LBS. LOOSE SALES TO IMPERIAL

Important Announcement of Deal Made for Robertson County Weed.

THE FIRST LOOSE SALE.

Special Arrangements Made With the Agency of C. C. Bell & Son.

The Springfield Herald is authority for the statement that the Imperial Tobacco Co., through its Springfield, Tenn., agents, C. C. Bell & Son, through a special arrangement with the Planters Protective Association, is to buy 1,000,000 pounds or more of the best grades of Robertson county tobacco loose. The article is as follows:

"We have it through positive information that C. C. Bell & Son, the well known representatives of the Imperial Tobacco Company for this section, will no longer buy their tobacco from the barns, but hereafter will fill their orders through the Planters Protective Association.

This news will be hailed with pleasure not only in Robertson county, but throughout tobacco circles over the entire dark district.

C. C. Bell & Son is one of the oldest and most prominent firms and the largest handlers of strips in the dark tobacco belt. To fill their orders for the Imperial Tobacco Company, of England, it requires a million or more pounds of the best grades of tobacco produced here each year.

By agreement and through special arrangements with the Association, Col. Bell is to receive his purchase unpriized, that being the only way he can handle the tobacco for his trade."

As this announcement comes from General Manager Ewing's home paper, it would seem to indicate a new and very important change in the rules of the Association in the future. If the report is true, one of the principal objections to the Association's plan of selling is to be removed and sales will be made to suit the demands of different lines of trade. The Herald does not give the price.

ALL THINGS LOOK VERY BRIGHT FOR THE DEMOCRATS

Opponent of Bryan's Nomination Finds Surprising Change.

GAINING STRENGTH.

Leaders in New York Surprisingly Confident of Carrying That State.

Washington, D. C., Representative A. O. Stanley, of Henderson, in the Second Kentucky District, who is in Washington on a brief business trip, is one of those Democrats who were skeptical of the wisdom of nominating William J. Bryan. Talking today of his change of mind, Mr. Stanley said:

"I had talked with political leaders of the East and other sections, and I had almost been convinced that some other man than Bryan would make a stronger candidate, but since the convention at Denver and after I have traveled over the country, I am amazed at the strength developed by Mr. Bryan. Now, while I will not claim that Bryan will be elected, it is my opinion that he will.

"The overwhelming defeat of the Democratic ticket in 1904 was brought about by the radical Republicans, the radical Democrats, enthusiastic colored voters and the laboring men. The latter were content with the situation that then prevailed. They did not want a change. Today conditions are different, and I do not believe that the Republican managers expect to win the election if it were held to-morrow. Of course, neither party has had more than its first innings, and no one can tell what may happen between now and November, but if Bryan continues to gain strength there is nothing, in my opinion, that can defeat him.

"Kentucky will be found safely in the Democratic column. The bitterness among the Democrats in the senatorial fight has vanished and the party is united. There is not the least danger of Republicans winning in Kentucky.

IN NEW YORK.

"The most important and promising Democratic outlook anywhere in the country is in New York State," said Representative Frank Clark, of Florida, secretary of the Democratic Congressional Committee, who has just returned from a stay of several days in New York City, where he has been to see a number of Democratic leaders. Mr. Clark is looking after the conduct of the campaign for Congressmen in the Eastern States, and is greatly encouraged by the situation he found in New York.

"It is a most peculiar situation," he continued. "It is with the Republicans in their woes over Gov. Hughes, a case of 'damned if we do and damned if we don't.' There has not, in the opinion of many old-timers, been a situation just like it for the Republicans in the Empire State in twenty years. The Demo-

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MANY NEGROES TO SUPPORT BRYAN-KERN

Movement Against Taft Is Reaching Large Proportions.

FORMIDABLE SPLIT

In Republican Party Growing Out of Taft's Unpopularity.

Washington, Aug. 28.—The Rev. J. Milton Waldron, president of the National Negro American Political League, is back from a trip to Rochester, N. Y., where he went to consult prominent men of his race in reference to opposing Judge Taft for President and doing all in their power to have the negroes cast their votes outright for Mr. Bryan.

Dr. Waldron says that in his travels through New York he met many well-to-do and intelligent negroes who formerly took leading parts in Republican contests, but this year they are freely and openly offering their services to the Democrats, and have been put to work to do all in their power to induce their race to support Mr. Bryan.

"While up North," said the preacher, "I was told that a great many negroes who had been soldiers, were violently opposed to Taft and had expressed their preference for Bryan."

"Some of the negro newspapers announced within the last month that Bishop Henry Turner, of Georgia, who is the first national vice president of the league had decided to support Taft. Dr. Walton denounces that a silly and malicious statement, and he pulled from his pocket a negro paper called the 'Voice of the People,' published at Atlanta. The publication is a monthly, and that issue was for the coming month of September, and was fresh from the press. The leading editorial was written by Bishop Turner who is ranked as the ablest Bishop in the negro church. Well, that editorial is certainly an animated one. The Bishop goes for the Republican party without gloves, and from start to finish lambasts Taft and Roosevelt both. The bishop states that he is for Bryan."

COMPROMISED

Suit of Mockbee vs. Breslin Settled Out of Court.

The damage suit of Mrs. Witty, formerly Mrs. Mockbee, against P. J. Breslin, growing out of burns received by her son, Herbert Mockbee, while operating a corn popper, has been compromised. The boy was injured by a flash of the gasoline used to furnish the flame for the machine. The case was tried at the last term of circuit court and a judgment given the plaintiff for \$500. An appeal was taken, but the compromise will stop further proceedings. The amount to be paid by Breslin is \$250. The plaintiff was represented by Southall & Son. The boy's injuries were slight and he has entirely recovered.

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